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SWEEPING POPULIST ADVANCE.

London, the largest and wealthiest city in the world, by a vote held last Saturday, by a tremendous majority, decided in favor of municipal ownership of all public utilities. The people will now own the water, gas, lighting and transportation, taking the present plants out of the hands of private companies. It was the ever increasing exactions of the corporations that caused the revolution. The result of the experiment in the great city of London, will largely influence the rest of the world.

HOT SHOT AT THE COURIER.

The Hickman County News is flinging warm shots at Flournoy of the Paducah News, and at our old friend Warren, of the Hickman Courier. Let up on Warren, Brooks. He is ashamed, and feels already his guilt. —Columbus Critic.

The Courier has never received a copy of the Hickman County News containing the alleged "warm shots," and therefore is in entire ignorance of the why or wherefore. If the News wants to fire its "warm shot" into the air, and never let us know anything about it, why, we suppose it can go on and thus amuse itself.

PRIMARY ELECTION APRIL 6.

Candidates Assessed to Pay Election Expenses, etc.

The Fulton County Democratic Expense Committee has assessed the candidates before the Democratic primary to be held April 6, as follows: Sheriff, \$7; County Clerk, \$7; County Judge, \$5; Jailor, \$4; County Attorney, \$4; Assessor, \$3; Superintendent of Public Instruction, \$3; Surveyor, \$2. These assessments are to pay the expenses of holding said election. The candidates are to pay their assessments to the County Democratic Secretary not later than the 23rd day of March, 1901. It is presumed that if any candidate fails to pay that his name will not be on the primary election tickets.

All legal voters who supported the Democratic ticket in the last National and State elections, and minors reaching their majority since, are entitled to vote in the primary.

The County Chairman is authorized to fill all vacancies that might occur among the election officers in case any of said officers fail or refuse to serve.

The following is the list of precinct officers agreed upon:

EAST FULTON.
James Norman, sheriff; Jube Felts, judge; James Milner, clerk.

WEST FULTON.
Ed. Thompson, sheriff; W. H. Phipps, judge; W. P. Nolen, clerk.

LODGTON.
James Thomas, judge; Chas. Davidson, sheriff; Joe Little, clerk.

CAYCE.
B. F. Atterberry, judge; John Alexander, sheriff; George Potter, clerk.

EAST HICKMAN.
A. W. Davis, sheriff; Alex Rice, judge; Chas. Perry, clerk.

WEST HICKMAN.
W. F. Blakemore, judge; Clint Pollock, sheriff; Findlay Randle, clerk.

SASSAPRAS RIDGE.
Wm. Perry, judge; Winfield Tucker, sheriff; Henry Clay, clerk.

MADRID BEND.
Joe Hawkins, clerk; Austin Adams, judge; Lawrence Everett, sheriff.

MISS LORA WHIPPLE.

The beautiful and accomplished daughter of our countyman, Mr. Wash. Whipple, and a recent graduate of the Hickman College, will begin a subscription school at Montgomery's school house the second Monday in March, and has quite a number of pupils enrolled.

JENNIE DAVIS.

STAMP TAX.

The provisions of the new U. S. Revenue Tax bill goes into effect the first of July next.

The total reduction amounts to \$40,000,000.

The following are some of the features in the present law which are abolished: Bank Checks, Promissory notes, Money orders, Bills of Lading, Express receipts, Telegraph and Telephone Messages, bonds, conveyances exempt below \$2,500, Insurance policies, Leases, Power of Attorney, chewing gum, etc.

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"I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker of Petersburg, Va. "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. It was recommended to me by a druggist as the best cough medicine for children as it contained no opium or other harmful drug." Sold by Cowgill and Cowgill, Hickman, and A. M. Shaw, State Lane, Ky.

A NEW CAPITOL.

Kentucky's old and dilapidated State buildings may be replaced by modern ones. Dr. J. Owen Robinson, nominee for Representative, has begun a canvass of the members of both Houses of the Legislature urging their support of a bill which he will introduce in the House providing for an appropriation of a half million dollars for the purpose of erecting new State Capitol buildings. The response so far received are nearly all favorable and Dr. Robinson believes the bill will pass. The Hon. E. H. Taylor will introduce a similar bill in the Senate.

AYRES AND FLATT.

Fulton, Ky., March 3.—[Special.]—Nine of the twelve members of the Hickman County Democratic Committee, with their chairman, met yesterday at Clinton and proceeded to call a primary election to nominate a candidate for the Legislature from Fulton and Hickman counties. Chairman Alexander, of the District Legislative Committee, and eleven members of the committee did not attend the meeting. Chairman Alexander and eleven committee-men out of a total of twenty have already signed and promulgated an address declaring Mott Ayres the regular nominee. R. B. Flatt, who also claims the nomination, has been asked to appeal his grievances to the State Central Committee for final settlement, but refuses to do so.

PLAIN ISSUE.

In the European discussion of the effect on international trade of the formation of the Steel Trust in this country with a capitalization of \$1,100,000,000 there are some points brought out which are decidedly interesting to Americans who must pay tribute to this behemoth combine.

Especially so is the assertion made by Mr. T. Putnam, managing director of the Darlington Forge Company of England. "The trusts," says Mr. Putnam, "can only affect us in one way, by reason of exceptional advantages granted them by the tariff. In America they may make huge profits, and utilize them to dump down material in this country at less than cost."

Can you figure out how this "protection of an infant industry" capitalized for \$1,100,000,000—the heaviest single capitalization in the world—is accomplishing anything beyond the enriching of the Steel Trust magnates at the bitter cost of the American people? The "huge profits" which the trust makes out of the American trade—helpless because of the crushing of competition by the tariff—come directly out of the pockets of consumers in this country. It is a monster tax that is utterly indefensible. The protective system under which the tax is levied is itself the creator of the trust system. The vital principle of the trust idea is that of a protected monopoly which shall hold the American people at its mercy.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Taken up as strays by Willie Binford, living in Fulton county, Ky., on or near the Lodgton and Moscow road near the Shelby's corner, three head of cattle, as follows: One Red Cow, with white on back, and marked with split in left ear, crop and under bit in right ear, and supposed to be 8 years old; valued at \$15.00. One Jersey Steer, crop and two splits in left ear, and under bit in left ear, supposed to be about three years old, and valued at \$10.00. One pale red Heifer, marked crop and two splits in each ear, and under bit in left ear, supposed to be 18 months old, and valued at \$10.00. No other brands or marks perceivable. Given under my hand this, February 18th, 1901.

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